

**DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES
JOB OPPORTUNITY
LICENSED PRACTICAL NURSE**

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Open To: Public

Location: Shore Road, Waterford, CT

Job Posting No: 023186

Hours: Full Time – Thursday through Sunday 6 AM – 2:45 PM

Salary: \$1,695.41 Hourly

Closing Date: December 9, 2013

Examples of Duties: Under the clinical supervision of the team's Registered Nurse, the Licensed Practical Nurse is responsible for providing direct nursing care to individuals with medical conditions. Duties may include but are not limited to: diabetic care, medication administration, treatments, respiratory treatments, observation and reporting of changes in condition as well as conducting therapeutic regimens prescribed by a Registered Nurse, Physician or other person(s) authorized by state law. The Licensed Practical Nurse at Shore Road may be assigned the lead charge responsibilities and will participate in the direct personal care of the individuals who reside there.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED

Minimum Qualifications Knowledge of practical nursing specialties and bedside care; knowledge of various medications used in conjunction with the physically and mentally handicapped; knowledge of infection control practices; some knowledge of nutrition and diets; basic knowledge of medical and lab sciences; considerable interpersonal skills; ability to keep records; some ability to lead staff.

Knowledge, Skills And Ability

Experience & Training: License in good standing to practice nursing in Connecticut by the State Board of Examiners for Nursing.

Working Conditions: Incumbents in this class may be required to lift/restrain clients/patients; may have some exposure to communicable/infectious diseases and to some risk of injury from assaultive/abusive clients/patients; may be exposed to disagreeable conditions.

Note: The filling of this position will be in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion and merit employment rules, if applicable.

Application Procedure for Current DDS Employees who are Lateral Transfer Candidates and Applicants for Promotion within the DSW Classification Series: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed DDS Application for Lateral Transfer/Promotion and copies of their last two performance appraisals.

Application Procedure for All Other Applicants: Interested and qualified candidates who meet the above requirements should submit a fully completed Application for Examination or Employment (CT-HR-12) located at www.das.state.ct.us/exam. Current State employees must also provide copies of their last two performance appraisals. Non-State employees must also provide 2 letters of reference.

All application materials must be received by 11:59 p.m. on the closing date indicated above.

Send application materials to:

**Department of Developmental Services — South Region
35 Thorpe Avenue, Wallingford, CT 06492
Attn: Recruiter
Phone: 203-294-5122 Fax: 860-920-3035**

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The State of Connecticut is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer and strongly encourages the applications of women, minorities, and persons with disabilities.